# Utilizing stream waters in the suppression of forest fires with the help of new technologies

## **General Information**

<u>Sector:</u> Ecology <u>Duration:</u> 24 months

*Implementation period:* April 2013 – March 2015

Overall budget: EUR 851,249

**RA** beneficiary organisation: Zikatar Environmental Centre, SNCO of the RA Ministry of Nature

Protection

Participating countries: Greece, Armenia, Romania, Ukraine, Moldova, Turkey

## **Description of the projects**

**Overall Objective:** To share competencies and innovative tools for the protection of protected areas by

fires.

### Achieved results:

• A neighbourhood network was built up;

- A Digital Geographic Database and a forest fire potential danger and behaviour software were developed;
- The Runoff Model was modified and validated for the research areas;
- The number, the dimensions and the optimal locations of the reservoirs for fire suppression were identified;
- The mobilization of the land fire vehicles was optimized.

### **More Information**

<u>Utilizing stream waters in the suppression of forest fires with the help of new technologies</u> (http://blacksea-cbc.net/wp-content/uploads/2015/12/fact-sheet-MIS-2666.pdf)